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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAMASCUS 0998

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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: ICRC ROLE IN REPATRIATION

REF: SECTO 773

1. AT 2:00 P.M. LOCAL TIME MAY 30 I RAISED MATTER OF REPATRIATION OF WOUNDED PRISONERS WITH MESSRS. DABOUL AND ELIAS. ELIAS TOLD ME THAT GENERAL SHIHABI WAS AWARE OF THE MATTER AND STEPS WERE BEING TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT SYRIA'S PART OF THE AGREEMENT. HE DID NOT KNOW, HOWEVER, IF THE ICRC REPRESENTATIVE IN DAMASCUS HAD AS YET BEEN CONTACTED. DABOUL TOOK NOTE THAT THE ISRAELIS HAD ALREADY BEEN IN TOUCH WITH THE ICRC REPRESENTATIVE IN JERUSALEM IN ANTICIPATION OF AN EXCHANGE OF WOUNDED PRISONERS WITHIN 24 HOURS AFTER THE 11 O'CLOCK SIGNING IN GENEVA ON MAY 31.

2. COMMENT: I DON'T THINK THERE WILL BE ANY PROBLEMS IN THIS REGARD.  
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